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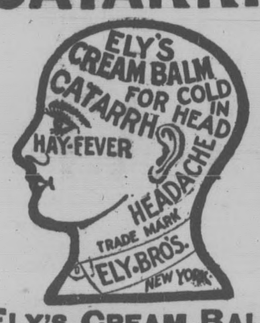

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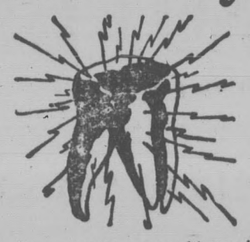

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DEALS IN COUNTY REALTY

Many Deeds Recorded During Week

LOTS AND ACREAGE PROPERTY

In This Section of the Peninsula in Great Demand at the Present Time

[Reported for the Times-Gazette by the Abstract of Title Company of San Mateo County.]

Geo. A. Hensley et al. to Mary E. Ferguson—Lot 29, Block C, Map of Blocks A, B, and C, First Addition, San Bruno Park.

Same to Edward D. Ward—Lot 13 Block 1, Map of blocks 1 and 2, San Bruno Park.

A. C. Kains to Geo A. Hensley et al—Lots 40 and 41, Block 15, 3rd Addition, San Bruno Park

Sarah J. McKay to Lillian E. Dagge Lots 1, 2, and 3, Block 134 Map 1, Sou San Francisco.

T. B. Potter Realty Company to John Ulrich Lauffer—Lot 11, Block 14, Second Addition Arleta Park.

Herbert E. Law et al to Edna Iliff Briggs—Block 1 to 14 inclusive Town of Baden.

Arthur H. Briggs and wife to Geo. A. Hensley et al—Blocks 1 to 14 inclusive town of Baden.

Albert A. Meyer to Levi H. Hawley, Lot 5 Hawley Resubdivision of lots 96 and 97, San Mateo Park.

Margaret E. Curry to Mary E. Quinn—Lot 42 Reese Subdivision, part Redwood Farm.

T. B. Potter Realty Company to Jennie C. Burke—Lots 5 and 6, Block 3 Arleta Park.

Halfmoon Bay Development Company to Gilbert L. Smith—Lots 8 and 9, block 6 Miramar Beach J. J.

Chas. H. Kendrick Co. to same—Lot 7, Block 4, South Balboa Tract.

Central Trust Co. of Cal. to Axel F. Holmberg et al—Lotts 74 and 75, Block 7 North Fair Oaks

Evan L. Reese to C.Colbert Cunningham—Lot 40 Reese Subdivision part of Redwood Farm

Casar Ehlers and wife to Lorenzo Coturri—Lot 5 Block 17, School House Land Association.

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Prejudice Against Railroads.

An interesting and rather astonishing array of statistics is given by Logan G. McPherson in the North American Review for November. He points out with a clearness that must surprise all those citizens who are in the habit of blaming the railroads for all their ills, that figures that will not lie are saying a lot of good things for railway corporations. The United States census, the reports of the Interstate Commerce Commission and the records of the year book of the Department of Agriculture, are placed side by side for the purpose of telling just what they really mean. Taking the good American dollar as as the unit of measure of value, it is found, among other things, that the net returns to the railroads of this county for the year 1905 ($616,341,657) were less than one-third the net returns to the county's manufactures, with nearly the same total capitalization, and less than one-fourth the net returns to the farmers of the nation.

If it be claimed that the low net return to the railroads is because of their inflated capitalization, the reply is made that the present total capitalization, including all inflation, is only about $52,000 a mile, far less than that of the roads of any other country, as shown by President Hadley of Yale, President Roosevelt and other authorities. And to make its profits the railroads have spent more money than either manufacturers of farmers. Truth telling figures again show here that to get one dollar back in net returns it cost manufacturers $6.62 of capital, farmers $9.44 and railroads $22.40.

All deductions show that while the administration of the railroads is far more economical than that of either manufactures of agriculture, the returns to capital are far less, and this means thatthe prices for the railroad producttransportation rates are relatively lower than the prices for the other products compared. Again Interstate Commerce Commission figures show the average railway rate per ton per mile for 1905 to have been a decrease of 8.8 per cent. over the ten-year period between 1890 and 1899.

That piratical speculators have brought about an unreasoning prejudice against the railroads the writer concedes, but he urges the necessity for fair play if the nation's general health and prosperity are to be assured, and suggests the wisdom and good sense of readjusting popular impressions to fit the facts that the figures here quoted unmistakably demonstrate.

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TO ALL

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TOWN COUNCIL IN SESSION

At the meeting of the Board of Town Trustees Monday evening the only business transacted was the filing of reports and passing on claims

The treasurer reported that the funds in his charge were as follows: General fund—Cash on hand Nov 18, $1,416.25; receipts, $4,804.40, total, $6,220.65. Disbursements, $5,339.23; balance on hand $881.42. Library fund—Cash on hand Oct. 21, $656.16; disbursements, $132.15; balance on hand $544.01

The following claims were allowed:

John Christ	$80.00
A. Kincaid	50.00
J. V. Neuman	180.00
M. A. Elftman	93.74
J. V. Neuman	$15.00
Winter, Allen & Co.	1.65
H. F. Butts	25.09
J. P. Coleman	60.00
D. R. Stafford	33.30
L. Biosia	55.00
H. F. Butts	10.00
J. N. Winter	19.52
J. D. Smith	29.24
F. J. Nash	10.00
J. V. Neuman	30.00
Gus. Mullen	8.75
A. Hess	37.0
Sam Horn	2 50
P. Louie	2.50
J. C. Dickey	90 90
C. Cullen	60.00
Geo. Eikerenkotter	10.00
F. Tribolet	17.50
T. Kearse	15.00
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Look at the number on your clearing housse certificates. The certificates are being counterfeited and the following numbers are known to be bad:

One dollar denominations: Nos. 2801, 5432, 7725, 10076, 14743, 15769, 16761, 16766. Two dollar denominations, No, 6337. Five dollar denominations, 6993, 1677.

Of course there may be many others beside these, but these are known to be bad.

Installation of Eastern Star

Monday evening Sequoia Chapter Order of Eastern Star installed the following officers: Worthy matron, Lila Kirkpatrick; associate matron, Lillian Fox patron, P. P. Chamberlain; secretary, May Cook; treasurer, L. P. Behrens; chaplain, Sarah Wentworth; orgainst, Julia Dodge; Marshal, Caroline Heiner; conductress, Eva Behrens; associate conductress, Angeline Zimmerman; Adah, Louise Barret; Ruth, Ella Jens; Esther, Julia Einstein; Martha, Madeline Towne; Electra, Mary Rice; warden, Alice Mansfield; sentinel, Geo H. Leary.

Frank K. Towne, past worthy patron, acted as installing officer and Mrs. Eva Behrens, past district deputy acted as grand marshal. The ceremonies were very pretty and were performed in quite a satisfactory manner. Several visiting brothers and sisters were present, notably Mrs. Lizzie Tyson of Niles.

After the ceremonies a bountiful repast was enjoyed and then the members played whist and other games until a late hour when all retired well pleased with their evenings enjoyment.

The Eagles' Grand Ball.

The local aerie of Eagles have earned the reputation of being the best body of entertainers in Redwood City, and the balls given by them are looked forward to by the young people with anticipations of great enjoyment. On Tuesday evening, the 31st instant, the fifth annual ball of the aerie will take place at the Alhambra and great efforts are being made to make the event no less auspicious than those given in the past. A feature of the occasion will be the music which will number ten pieces of the best talent to be secured in San Francisco, including Geo. Pacheco, the well known cornet soloist of the Park band. A committee on decorations has promised something that will surprise those who will be present, it being understood that all past events will be outdone. And that most important of all features, the supper, has been passed up to Chas Luscher with instructions to prepare a feast fit for the gods, and Charlie has promised to make good.

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D. E. O'KEEFE.....EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

GREATER SAN FRANCISCO

The following address delivered at the Merchants' Association banquet in San Francisco recently by George C. Ross voices the sentiment of the people of Redwood City:

Redwood is probably the most distant town from your city hall proposed to be included within Greater San Francisco, but measured by time it is now nearer to you than many points within the present city limits. The Bay Shore cut-off just completed at a cost of about $7,000,000 has made our town your near suburb, and though we may criticize Mr. Harriman in some respects, we extend him our garteful thanks for his accomplishing a result only promised us by preceeding presidents of the Southern Pacific.

Other speakers have referred to the water question as one which should tend to consolidation. With us an ample supply of water is most vital. In our county the Spring Valley Water Company has gathered in "Everything Wet" to the extent that we have prohibition forced on us—prohibition of water.

We believe with your former mayor, Mr. Phelan, that the Tuolumne system from the Sierras is the best for you and us, and despite all protests of sentimentalists that the beauties of Hetch-Hetchy will be destroyed, we feel that the interests of the many around the bay demanding an abundant supply of pure water from the Sierras is paramount to the feeling of sentiment of the few that some natural beauty may be marred. We are with you for the Tuolumne Hetch-Hetchy water system.

But what has been the recent past of San Francisco which should appeal to us to now join you?

You have had innumerable strikes and lock outs. On the one hand is your Citizens' Alliance and on the other what has been termed the "Unwhipped mob". You have had your hoodlums on the streets stoning cars and greasing tracks, endangering our lives when we came to visit your city. And opposed to them you have had your hoodlums on the cars bumping wagons and throwing women and children into the streets and running down the public on foot. You have had class arrayed against class and faction opposed to faction. Your great financiers are in opposition. We see the president of your First National Bank inbitter antagonnism to the manager of the Bank of California and the president of Wells-Frago Nevada Bank on quest ions of the gravest public interest. Your press, represented as great signal towers and beacon lights to guide us country folk in the right, are never directing us in one and the same direction.

We have, within the past few weeks, witnessed the spectacle of the leading democrat paper of your city advocating, as it said in your interest, the election of a republican mayor, while the twoo leading republican papers were most emphatic in announcing that the city could be saved only by the election of a democrat as mayor.

Have you a single honest journalist in your city? If we take the consensus of the press, you have not, for according to each paper, daily and weekly, every other paper has sold its influence and has been bought to advocate the course it advises. No one paper is willing to admit that any other one may be right; that there isdifference only because of the different point of view. Each says "I am honest and right, and you are wrong because you have been paid for your influence". Every one has a hammer out knocking the other. I however do not believe the press is so bad as it paints itself, but on the contrary do believe that the proprietors and editors of your papers, daily and weekly, are in the main, like men in other callings—honest and trustworthy. And I have yet hope for you.

I believe and trust that San Francisco is the accepted and beloved of the Lord. I remember that Holy Writ says:—

"For whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth, and scourgeth every son he receiveth".

Most surely have you been chastened and scourged. You have had earthquakes and fire; graft and bribery; foul streest and no water; seas of mud and clouds of dust—in short all the ills which could befall an unfortunate city have been your portion.

Like Job, you have been stricken and misfortunes have been heaped upon you. But I remember the beauties of San Francisco; her glorious hills and splendid bay; that from her heights sevenn counties of our state are in view, and the shipping of the world may be seen passing through her Golden Gate; when I remember that now all roads lead, not to Rome, but to San Francisco; when I reflect that your city has back of it the whole of our great state and that the commerce of our east must pass your city to the Orient and the farther east, then I am convinced that the end of SSan Francisco will be like that of Job—greater and grander and more successful than its beginning. For the Lord will give you "Twice as uch as before; every man will give you a piece of money; and every one a gold ring"; and as in the past, so in the future, it will be said that "In all lands were no women so fair as the daughters of" San Francisco.

If you will get together, put up your hammers, stop your knocking, clean your city, morally and politically, work together for the good and welfare of the whole public, and will leave us liberty and the right to control our local affairs, in return for our central union with you, then we will be ready to say with you "Liberty and Union now and forever one and inseparable."

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In the Superior Court of the County of San Mateo, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of MORNIN E. McNULTY, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Mornin E. McNulty, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice (made on the 21st day of December, 1907,) to said executor at the law office of Ross & Ross, First National Bank building, Redwood City, California, the same being the place for transaction of the business of said estate.

P. P. CHAMBERLAIN,
Executor of the last will and testament of Mornin E. McNulty, deceased.
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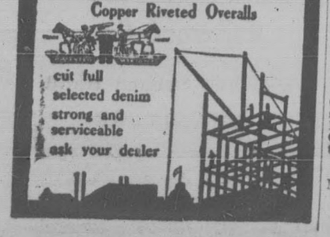

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SUPERVISORS HOLD MEETING

No Boxing Bout on New Year's Day

The board of Supervisors met in regular session last Monday. All the members were present.

J. J. Bullock presented a map of Dumbarton Oaks, same was accepted on motion of MacBain seconded by Blackburn. The usual resolution dedicating the streets delineated thereon to public us was adopted.

Mr. Gordon presented a map of Stanford Park to be filed. John Partridge, who owns property adjoining, objected to the filing of the map on the ground that a certain street should not be closed. The street was opened for 30 years. Chairman Coleman held the map could be filed and the matter in question be thrashe out later on. Itwas filed on motion of MacBain seconded by Eikerenkotter.

Map of East San Mateo was filed on motion of Debenedetti seconded by Blackburn.

A petition for closing certain streets in Faralone City tract was presented by Attorney F. H. Thorpe on behalf of the California Suburban Home Company. The matter was set for hearing for Monday January 20th, 1908.

Jellich and Tamesovich petitioned the Board for a permit to conduct a boxing contest at Portola on New Year's day. The Chairman held the petition was not in proper form in as much as theproper funds were not paid to the Tax Collector. On motion of MacBain seconded by Eikerenkotter the prayer of the petition was denied.

On motion of Debenedetti seconded by Blackburn Santoga Montie was allowed aid in the sum of $8 per month from December. The applicant is 75 years of age and lives in Halfmoon Bay.

The certificate of sale of lots 1 and 2, block 9, $75 Lot Homestead tract were ordered cancelled having been erroneously assessed.

The J. J. O'Brien Constructing Co presented a communication asking that Golden Gate cement be substituted for Alsen cement as called for in contract James Nealon, who represented the Constructing Company, explained that there was little or no Alsen cement in the market and there was none to b had and his company wanted to go on with the work of building the new court house. He urged that the Golden Gate cement be substituted so that the work would progress. He assured the board that the latter material was the equal of the cement mentioned in the contract. W. H. George, agent for the Golden Gate cement lauded the merits of his material. MacBain vigorously called the attention of Nealon that the Alsen cement which is imported cost $3 a barrelwhile the domestic article was sold for $1.85. He also made the statement that there were two ship loads of Alsen cement on the way. He stated that the Construction Company had ordered a car load of the domestic article. He did not object to using it on the foundation but would oppose its use in the walls and porticos. Architect Glenn Allen had no objection to it in the foundation. He would not permit it to be used in any other portion ofthe building..

The matter was referred to the District Attorney, who advised the board that they had better make no change in materials until it was learned whether the sureties of the contractors would agree to the change, as lack of this agreement might vitiate the bond.

Mr. Bullock promised to prepare a form which could be signed by the contractor's sureties and afterwards the matter could be adjusted.

A communication was read from a resident of the First Township complaining about a fence around his lot in the $75 Lot Homestead tract. Same was referred to Eikerenkotter.

A letter was read from Fred Simons, Constable of the Fourth Township setting forth the poor condition of the jail at Halfmoon Bay and asking that some action be taken towards repairing it. The communication was referred to Debenedetti to report at the next meeting

This being the day set for hearing the petition of the residents of the First Township asking that gates be put up on dangerous railroad crossings. The board at its last meeting directed the clerk to notify the United Railroads and Southern Pacifc Co. to be presnt at its meeting to show cause why gates should not be put up. Superintendant W. A. McGovern of the Southern Pacific Company said his company was prepared to take all precautions to safeguard the lives of the people. It was to its interest to do so. Hewas willing to do whatever the board would suggest. He desired a list of the crossings so he could go over the road with the board and inspect them. A car would be in readiness to go over the road through the county whenever the supervisors desired. It was agreed that the trip would be made by the board and the superintendent on January 7th at 10 o'clock.

Supervisor Eikerenkotter reported that several crossings in his township were in need of gates, notably Washington street and San Pedro crossing in Colma, the crossing at Baden and two crossings at San Bruno, all of these are on line of the Southern Pacific. Also on account of the changing of the running of trains to the cut-off line, new crossings in South City would have to be safeguarded.

Mr. Abbott assured the board that the United Railroads also desired to do their share of protecting the lives and property of the people of the county and he would also be present to go over the road with the party and make note of the dangerous crossings and would attend to them immediately.

He stated that the Company would regulate new stopping places after the first of the year.

Mac Bain reported that the contractor was making the necessary alterations on the Pope street bridge over the San Francisquito creek. He was given one month to further report.

Hall C. Ross presented ordinance No. 217 granting W. J. Martin a franchise to maintain an electric light plant in the First Township for lighting and heating purposes, to operate wires and poles in the streets. Same was adopted on motion of Eikerenkotter seconded by Blackburn and ordered published according to law.

J. J. Bullock explamined that J W. Cochrane was present and desired to file a map of the Coleman tract He was at his office several times considering the matter. Chairman Coleman said it was the rule of the board not to accept maps after 10 a. m. and he could not violate the rule. Mr. Cochrane explained he had no desire to break the rule of the board but wasacting in good faith. He missed the 9 'oo'clock train from San Francisco and secured the service of an automobile but it broke down at Millbrae and could not reach here until 2 o'clock. In order to get the matter before the board MacBain moved that the map be filed and Eikerenkotter seconded the motion. On roll call MacBain Eikerenkotter and Blackburn voting aye and Debenedetti and Coleman voting no. On motion of MacBain seconded by Eikernkeotter the map was ordered filed and the following resolution dedicating the streets delinneated thereon to public use was adopted.

Whereas, the Menlo & Peninsula Land Company has this day presented to the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, a certain map of the "Coleman tract at Menlo Park, Cal., subdivided by the Menlo & Peninsula Land Company, Inc., surveyed by Stephen I. Kieffer, C. E.", and said map being prepared in all respects as required by law.

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that the following streets, highways, avenues and walks upon said map delinneated and set forth, to-wit: Menlo Avenue, Oak Avenue, Cochrane Way, Coleman Avenue, Oxford Drive, Berkeley Avenue, College Avenue, Arlington Way, Madison Way, Cambridge Drive, Maple, Spruce, Elm, Locust, Cedar and Linden Walks, be, and the same are hereby accepted on behalf of the public by the board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo as dedicated to public use, and the Clerk of this Board is directeed to endorse upon said map said acceptance.

And be it further resolved, that this resolution be adopted and said map accepted upon, and subject to, the express condition that the County of San Mateo does not hereby become responsible or liable for any cost, charge orexpense, either for grading, macadamizing, or for any other road purpose, or any of said streets, highways or avenues. This condition as to the incurring of cost, charge or expense being left to the discretion of future Boards of Supervisors. No one of the Boards of Superivsors, or any member thereof, of said County of San Mateo shall ever be liable for damages in any sum or amount arising by or through any defect of any kind in said streets, highways, avenues or walks.

The following cmmunication was received from Architect Glenn Allen and same was ordered filed.

San Francisco, Dec. 14th., 1907.

Mr. Glenn Allen,
Architect,
City.

Dear Sir:—

At the request of the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Redwood City we send you bid for the stone work of portico, for the Court House as follows.

We will furnish the stone F. O. B. cars at Redwood City all of which will fit the new building and was cut before the earthquake and still in storage at our works except the three capitals which were delivered at the court House for the sum of Eight Thousand Seven Hundred and Forty-two ($8742.00) Dollars.

The above consists of Buttresses, Plints, Bases, Columns and Capitals, complete, (except capitals as above stated and the center panel of ballustrade,) also the frieze, stone ceiling, cornice and two outside panels of ballustrade, all as shown on the enclosed drawinigs.

Yours very truly,
Colusa Sandstone Co.
per Thos. Bradbury.

The clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for supplies for the County Poor Farm for the coming year.

Fred Chilcoot presented a report of the statistics of the county. On motion of Eikerenkotter seconded by MacBain the clerk was instructed to forward same to the State Agricultural Society

The following claims were allowed:

GENERAL FUND.

John Savage	$750 00
J H Bell	797 00
W A Price	20 00
James Wisnom	725 95
J Ward	31 25
John Bolan	41 25
J Belcher	56 25
Johns & McLean	33 75
Johns & McLean	21 50
Johns & McLean	2 50
T Weymouth	42 75
A Taylor	18 75
S Ray	18 75
John Peckham	42 75
M P McLellan	58 50
J Montgomery	42 50
A Gardelle	35 00
T Fitzgerald	33 75
T Casey	56 25
W C Havey	4 50
Redwood City Democrat	10 35
J Rapley	35 00
J G McCarthy	10 00
Weeks & Dudfield	10 00
W H Lipp	15 00
F Bennett	20 00
J Francis	36 00
Glenwood Lumber Company	8 95
A F Maine	60 00
Glenwood Lumber Company	78 75
F Chilcoot	115 25
Chris Long	10 00
A Carlisle & Co	10 80
South City Printing Company	10 00
Glenwood Lumber Company	164 85
Charles Long	10 00
H Rassmussen	10 00
T A Wilson	38 00
H G Plymire	86 00
J B Feliz	26 50
Ramon Dias	21 25
H A Stagg	25 00
L E Piefferle	45 00
T C Rice	5 50
H O Heiner	5 00
C A Carson	12 00
C A Carson	10 75
R S Chatham	319 85
D B Plymire	59 25
J M Bell	34 00
H O Heiner	20 00
Sunset Telephone Company	3 25
Sunset Telephone Company	6 15
Sunset Telephone Company	3 75
Sunset Telephone Company	4 00
Sunset Telephone Company	20 15
Sunset Telephone Company	3 00
Sunset Telephone Company	1 50
Sunset Telephone Company	2 50

COURTHOUSE FUND.

J D Smith	$ 32 50
John Couway	59 12
L Glennan	16 86
W A Short	25 00
Dan O'Leary	67 50
D McKenzie	60 00
J D Hedlan	23 37

SECOND ROAD FUND

H S Smith	$ 72 00
M Bernardo	102 50

No further business appearing the board adjourned to Monday, January 6th, 1908.

Faculty Entertain

On Friday last the Faculty of the Sequoia Union High School entertained the mothers of their pupils from 3 to 4:30 p. m.

The following interesting program was rendered; and the pupils acquitted themselves in a most creditable manner. The violin solos by Miss Elizabeth Burns, a former pupil of the Mountain View High School, were a treat to those present.

Chorus—Sequoia Glee Clubs.
Recitation—Rex and Rags—Elmer La Dieu.
Recitation—Our Minister's Sermon—Lottie Bell.
Instrumental Music—Otto Offermar and Morris Goldsmith.
Recitation—An Old Sweetheart of Mine—Ellen Dalve.
Recitation—Casey at the Bat—Sidney Williams.
Vocal Solo—Mr. O M. Carrington.
Recitation—The Mother of her Country—Caroline Doxsee
Violin solo—Miss Elizabeth Burns.

After the program was rendered the pupils wre dismissed, and the teachers assisted by the Junior class served refreshments in the office which was beautifully decorated for the occasion with Christmas berries and smilax.

About onehalf of the mothers having pupils in the high school were present, and expressed themselves as much pleased with the efforts of the teachers to get into closer touch with them. The teachers are to be congratulated on their enterprise and thoughtfulness, and we have no doubt that any like effort in the future will meet with a hearty response.

From the view point of an outsider it would seem to us that this movement of theteachers for a closer acquaintance is in the right direction; and should meet a most hearty response from all intelligent and thoughtful parents.

We have sometimes felt that maybe the reason why the schools of a generation ago seemed to accomplish more in proportion to their equipment was because of the hearty good will existing between parents and teachers. Then the teacher was regarded as a guest of honor in every home, and oftenshared the hospitality of his patrons. Maybe an effort to restore the oldfashioned but kindly relations would be worth while.

From all that we can learn our high school is steadily improving, and has never been in a bmore promising condition.

Last Will Filed

Fanny Jackson has filed the last will and testament of William Jackson, deceased, for probate. Mr. Jackson died at Pescadero on October 21st of this year leaving a will. The estate consists of a ranch of 150 acres and improvements in the Fifth Township worth $1500. By the terms of the will the widow, Isabell Jackson and her three children, Andrew F. Jackson and Fanny Jackson of Pescadero and Mrs. Mary Hauerken of San Francisco, are bequeathed the estate in equal shares. The will was executed in May 1904, and the subscribing witnesses are Fanny Jackson and C. L. McCracken. The estate does not exceed the sum of $1500 in value.

COUNTY SEAT HAPPENINGS

Judge Turner to Guard "Sons of Rest"

William M. Turner has been appointed jailer by Sheriff Chatham to take the place of L. Fortier.

Gilroy trukeys are the best in the market , Leave your order early at T. P. Maloney's.

Dance goers are looking forward to the Eagles ball on New Year's eve with great aniciptaion. Good music is to be the feature of the dance. All will waltz the new year in and the old year out. The Alhambra promises to be crowded on that occasion.

Billy Wilson, proprietor of the Eagle saloon at Five Points will give a souvener bottle of "Castlewood" to all customers who play the Pianino during Chrismas week.

Toilet Sets, Travelling Cases, Shaving and Maniciure goods, Burnt Leather Goods at Walsh's drug store, No. 12 A street.

The United Gas & Electric Company begs to inform its electric light consumers that they should use 110 or 120 volt lamps, according to the service instalied. Higher voltage lamps will burn longer but will not give as bright alight.

Standard books bound in padded leather for holiday gifts. Boys and Girls stories, childrens tales and picture books at Walsh's Drug stoore, No. 12 A street.

Holiday line of stationery in decorated boxes from 25cents to $2.50 at Walsh's Drug store, No. 12 A street.

The property owners along A street, the bitumen street leading to the depot have agreed to beautify the street by setting out palms along the sidewalks in front of their respective holdings, and the work of setting them out began Thursday. This will make a beautiful entrance to town, as passengers from the station will find the way down to the center of Redwood City by a broad bitumenized street, lined for blocks with graceful palms.

Deputy sheriff, Frank Bartlett took Mike Mella and Edward Faulkner to the insane asylum at Napa last Tuesday. They were both adjudged insane by Judge Buck last Saturday.

District Attorney J. J. Bullock is confined to his home with a severe cold.

The Jubilee Singers who appeared at the grammar school Wednesday evening gave one of the best performances given in this city for some time. The members were all good singers and the program was strictly first class. Such a troupe certainly merited a much larger audience.

The Foresters of America purchased a lot 70x100 fronting on Phelps street from Wm. Plump this week for $1650. This is a choice piece of property and will be worth considerably more money very soon. The Foresters will erect a lodge Hall upon the lot.

While endeavoring to fix a gas engine at his home in the Schroder tract Thursday night of last week, Mr. Elliot had the two middle fingers of his right hand torn off. Medical aid was summoned and the wound dressed but it continues to cause Mr. Elliot severe pain.

Redwood City Lodge No 168, F. & A. M. will install its officers for the ensuing yeartonight at a public installation, the wives of the members and the members of the Eastern Star hving been invited. The following officers will serve during the comming year. Worshipful Master, Frank K. Towne; Senior Warden, R. W. Cloud; Junior Warden, Ernest H. Werder Treasurer, L. P. Behrens; Secretary, Chas. G. Lendscheit; Senior Deacon, W. A. Shrewsbury; Junior Deacon, Fred Chilcott; Marshal, J. J. Rodgers; Senior Steward, Geo. H. Leary; Junior Steward A. L. Lowe; Tyler, John W. Glennan. At the conclusion of the exercises a banquet will be served.

Holiday goods, you will find the the swellest line ever shown in the valley at Weingartner & Co. the Leading Durggists of Palo Alto. You will find triplicate mirrors, comb and brush sets, hat pins, silver hat pin holders, sterlnig silver brushes of all kinds, American and imported perfumes, perfume atomizers, vases, Dresden china tableware. European tableware novelties, manicure goods, and many other useful gifts to numerous to mention. It will pay you to visit our store and look over our stock befre buying eslewhere.

T. P. Maloney has received a large consignment of fat turkeys from Gilroy. Now is the otime to get your Christmas turkey. Prices are reasonable.

George Wiechring, proprietor of the Red Front Cigar Store, wshes all his patrons a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. His Golden Eagle and Oakwood cigars are the best ten cent cigars in town and he is proud of thesatisfaction they are giving.

The Christmas exercises of the Congregational Sunday School will be held on Christmas eve.

Tomorrow will be observed as Christmas Sunday at the Congregational church. The pastor, Rev. Chas. C. Kirtland will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock upon the subject "Chirst and Christmas". The choir has prepared special music for the service and will also sing at the Woodside chapel at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. All are cordially invited to these services.

Mary the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hess was united in marriage with Mr. Henry Jensing of San Francisco at Mt. Carmel Catholic church, Thursday evening. Rev. Father Sullivan performed the ceremony. Mrs. Jensing was born and raised in this City and has a host of friends herewho wish her long life and happiness. Mr. Jensing is a prosperous young business man of the metropolis. They will make their future home here. Immediatelyafter the service a reception was held at the home of the bride where the relatives and a few invited guests partook of a bounteous wedding feast after which there was much merry making.

Mrs. Jewell an old resident of this city fell from her back steps last week and broke one of the bones of her right armand also the bone at the shoulderjoint. On account of her age her recovery will probably be slow.

In Favor of Defendants

Judge Buck on Thursday handed down a lengthy decision in the civil suit of Charles P. Cooley against Isabel Butler and John S. Butler. He gives the decision to defendants. On November 1th, 1906, Mrs. Isabell Butler entered into a contract with Charless P. Cooley for the purchase of seventy acres of land at Ravenswood belonging to her and known as the Frank S. Cooley ranch. The purchase price was to have been $25,361. When the time arrived for executing the deed. Mrs. Butler refused to carry out her part of the contract and Cooley filed a suit in the superior court last February to compel her to do so. The defendant held that plaintiff concealed and suppressed certain facts as to why he wanted the property, that proper tender was not made and that the land in question was community property and that the name of her husband should have been attached to the contract. Before the trial began Butler was made a defendant. The court held that no misrepresentation was made on the part of the plaintiff, that proper tender was made and that plaintiff did all that was required of him by law. The court held, however, that the property was community property and quotes the decision of the supreme court in the case of Peiser vs. Griffin writted by Justice Henshaw. He says if the property was community property the legal title remained in the husband notwithstanding the deed was taken in the name of the wife—even the portion of the community property in her own name and acquired by her thewife cannot convert or transfer. The court holds that it being found that the property is community property no title to it is vested in Isabell Butler, though the deed was taken in her name. The court further explains that a purchaser is at peril in failing to get the signature ofhusband when the question of communiy propertty is involved. Soon after the signing of the contract the seventy acres in dispute became very valuable owing to the advent of the Dumbarton bridge near the land and hence the vigorous fight a on both sides of the suit. The plaintiff will no doubt take the case to the supreme court. A year before signing the contract Mrs. Butler bought the property from Frank S. Cooley for $16,000. It is now very valuable realty.

About to Retire

R. O. Tripp, the pioneer merchant of the county, has announced his retirement from business by offering his stock of goods and business for sale. Dr. Tripp, as he is known generally, has been in business at Woodside for over fifty years. He was a pioneer of pioneers there, and when he opened his modest store with its assorted stock of merchandise, it was in the heart of a great forest of towering redwoods. These have long since been cleared away and given place to the magnificent country homes of the rich San Franciscans, who have settled in Portola Valley. Declining years and a desire for rest are his reasons for giving up the business of a life time. Dr. Tripp is upwards of 90 years and is still hale andhearty. He has been postmaster at Woodside for 35 years.

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses were issued during the week by County Clerk Nash.

Nelson McCune of Fruitvale and Mrs. Flora Werner of South San Fancisco.

Archer D. Waugh and Jennie Edwards, both of San Francisco.

Hamilton Reece Martin and Catherine Elizabeth Sack, both of Oakland.

John W. Egan and Adeline Irving, both of Santa Clara.

Builders' Contracts Filed

The following builder's conntracts were filed in the recorder's office this week:—

Waller Brothers of San Mateo agree to erect a two story frame building containing eight rooms, bath room and basement in 100 working days for Jane R. Quinn of San Francisco on lot 23, block E, San Mateo Heights for $3228.

A marriage license was issued from the County Clerk's office at San Jose Wednesday to J. Marcelino aged 33 and Minnie W. Barnett aged 28, both of Halfmoon Bay.

FROM CITY OF BEAUTIFUL OAKS

Death Claims an Estimable Woman

Remember if you are looking for Holiday Goods you will find the following goods at Weingartner & Company's Palo Alto. Comb, brush and mirror stes, manicure goods, shaving sets, jewel cases, hat pins and holders, fancy German table ware, perfumes, atomizers and many other useful items to numerous to mention. 2t

Mrs. William Casey, one of the pioneer women of this vicinity passed peacefully to her eternal rest Tuesday morning. She had been ailing for a year or more but on Saturday she suffered aparalytic stroke and remained unconscious a good part of the time until death releaved her of her sufferings. The funeral on Thursday morning was largely attended by old friends and acquaintances who had known and admired her in life. Mrs. Casey came to the old Hayes place, near Fair Oaks, when she was fourteen years old. She married William Casey when she was eighteen and has lived in this community ever since. She was a woman of noble character, ever ready to assist one in time of need. In scenes of pleasure and rejoicing she was first, and also first where grief and sorrow came. A christian true, and sincere was she. Her family will miss a devotd mother and her husband e a loving wife. Words and deeds of kindness, charity and love sprang from that generous heart, unbidden aand unasked. The floral tributes were numerous and costly. At the church a special choir from San Francisco sang the high mass. The services were solemn and impressive. The remains of this noble woman were laid to rest in Holy Cross Cemetery. Those who remain to mourn her besides her husband are Nellie, May and Fannie Casey and William and George Casey, sons and daughters of the deceased.

Services at the Presbyterian church will be held at 10:30 and 7:45. Sunday school at 12:30. At the morning service the pastor will preach on Luke 2:11. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, who is Christ the Lord. The evening sermon will be "But when the fullness of the time has come. God sent forth his Son." Special Christmas singing morning and evening. On Wednesday evening at 7:45 there will be a Christmas tree and recitations and singing and selections from Dickens' "Christmas Carol" read by R. C. Moodie, the pastor. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody.

The warm rains have started the mushrooms growing and large number have been gathered during the week. They are more plentiful this year than in years before.

The grammar school closed yesterday with appropriate exercises.

Sacred Heart convent girls sought their respective homes yesterday for a vacation of two weeks.

Frank Mason, superintendent of the Prior ranch, is one of the victims of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Co. bank failure. He had a deposit of $1000 in the institution when it failed. As he is now along in years the loss is all the more severe.

Kitty, Rose and Emily Lynch will arrive home from the Ursuline College at Santa Rosa to spend their vacation of two weeks today.

St. Patrick's seminary closed yesterday for a two weeks vacation. An entertainment was given the night before by the students in the large gymnasium. A large number was present.

A wedding will take place here early next spring that will startle the staid batchelors.

All those interested in fancy work will meet Mrs. W. J. Webb at the home of Mr. Johanson after the first of the year.

Mr. E. J. Brown desires to extend his heartfelt thanks to the local carpenter's union for their assistance and sympathy at the death of his brother, Arthur Hale Brown.

Mrs. Martin Kuck, who has been quite ill for the past week, is reported as improving.However she will be confined to her bed for some time.

Colonel Kirkpatrick, manager of the Palace Hotel, and the architects were down Wednesday lookinng over the Sharon residence. It will soon be completed. The finishing touches are now being put on. The Sharons will move into the building early in the spring.

The steam roller belonging to the Third Township while rolling down the rock near Charles Meyer's saloon Wednesday afternoon slid from the edge of the street to the gutter near the sidewalk. It sank some distance striking the pipe line of the Bear Gulch Water Company and bursting the pipe causing the water to gush forth. The water was turned off and Roadmaster, F. E. George, worked patiently narly all night before he was able to get the roller out. The water wasnotturncd off until late Thursday afternoon.

Sixteen thoroughbred colts were sent up to San Francisco during the week from the Macdonough stock farmm for sale.

Mrs. J. Leroy Nickel was hostess yesterday at one of the season's prettiest bridge parties at her home in san Francisco. Mrs. Nickel gave an affair to 60 guests at about this time last winter, and although this event was not so large, it will be marked by the same perfection of detail as was the former card party.

TheLas Palmas greenhouses, corner Hamilton avenue and Hale streets, Palo Alto are showing some fine poinsettias, begonias hyacinths, freesias, lily of the valley, carnations, ferns, and a general line of decorative plants for the holidays. Take University avenue car line to Hale st. Telephone Main 176.

Action for Divorce

Lucy Rodenberger has commenced an action for divorce in the superior court against her husband, Charles F. Rodenberger. The parties were married at San Rafael on August 8th, 1906, and are at present residing at Colma. Cruelty is the charge on which the suit is brought. The complaint alleges that the defendant has acted cruelly to his spouse. He has on various occasions applied vile and obsene epithets to her and varied the monotony by slapping her in the face with his open hand. She prays for reasonable alimony, cost of suit and counsel fees. When Rod engerger works he gets $3.75 a day as a tile setter.

Maria H. Bortis has also commenced a suit for a decree of divorce from her husband, Felix B. Bortis. They were married in San Francisco April 1st, 1894 and three children were born to them their ages range from 6 m to 12 years. The community property consists of a deposit of $1234 in the German Savings bank of San Francisco, 2 lots in the Abbey Homestead Association, five lots in the City Extension Homestead Association. The plaintiff in her complaint alleges that her husband has been cruel. to her for the past five years. On February 2nd of this year he slapped her in the face and choked her so that she became insensible. While under the influence of intoxicating liquor he abused her very cruelly and she can no longer live with him. She prays for a maintenance of $50 to be paid from the commmunity property for the support of herself and children. She asks that the husband be prevented from drawing any money from the bank or selling any of the property. Mrs. Bortis also asks for $150 counsel fees and cost of suit and the custody of the three minor children. The parties to the suit reside at Colma and Bortis works at the cemeteries and receives a wage of $3 a day.

Articles of Incorporation

The following articles of incorporation were filed in the county clerk's office during the week:—

The Burlingame Water Company incorporates with a capital stock of $100,000 divided into 10,000 shares at a par value of $10 each. The purpose for whichthe company incorporates is to furnish water to the town of Burlingameand vicinity. The actual amount of stock subscribed is $50 by the following stockholders who subscribe one share each:—Geo. F. Lyon, Edgar L. Hoag, Henry T. Scott, George A. Pope and Daniel H. McEwen.

The Pacific Telegraph and Telephone Company incorporates with a capital stock of $50,000,000 divided into 500,000 shares at a par value of $100 each. There are 320,000 shares preferred and 180.000 common ed is $1,000,000. Of this sum H. stock. The amount of stock subscrib- T. Scott subscribes 5,000 shares $500,000, E. S. Pillsbury 3,500 shares $350,000. The following subscrbe 100 share each:—C. Osgood Hooker, E. J. Zmmer, liGeorge A. Newhall, B. C. Carroll, Edward Coleman, Thomas E. Sherwin, George P. Robinson, H. C. Breeden, C. E. Green, M. R. Jones, A. E. Dunkel, R. B. Borland, Timothy Hopkins, Walter S. Martin, J. N. Quay. The length of the telephone lines to be constructed in the state of California is 10,000 miles.

The South San Francisco Belt Railway has incorporated with a capital stock of $50,000 divided into 500 shares at a par value of $100 each. The company is incorporated for the purpose of constructing a railroad from Point San Bruno on the westerly side of the bay and running along the bay to South San Francisco to connect with the industries in that vicinity. The road will be seven miles in length. The actual amount subscribed is $7700 by the following directors:—Leroy Hough and W. D. Dennett 16 shares each, V. H. Smith, J E. R. Lillienthal and Jesse W. Lillienthal each subscribed 15 shares.

Christmas Festival

The children of Mount Carmel church will have a Christmas festival in the convent hall next Sunday at 2 p. m. An interesting program of songs and recitations will be presented and it is hoped that Santa Claus will attend. Parents and friends are invited.

There will be special services in the Catholic church on Christmas day in honor of the birth of our Savior. Masses will be sung at 7, 8 and 9 a. m., and a solemn high mass at 10:30 a. m. The Rev. J. W. Brockhage, professor of classics and higher literature at St. Patrick's seminary, Menlo Park, will deliver the sermon. All are cordially invited.

Judge Buck has appointed the following appraisers in the followig estates:—

Estate of Richard Batchelder, deceased, S. E. Slade, Beach Thompson and J. W. Goodwin.

Estate of Mary L. Moore, deceased, Paul Pinckney, M. F. Brown and W. G. Young.

FRATERNAL DIRECTORY

REDWOOD CITY LODGE, No. 316, F. and A. M. Stated meeting on the Saturday evening next before the full of the moon, in the Odd Fellows' Hall.
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In the Superior Court of the County of San Mateo, State of California.
Notice to Creditors.

Estate of EMILIE KALESCHKE, sometimes known as and called Mrs. E. Kaleschke, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, C. J. Bettin, executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, or her estate, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor at the law office of F. H. Thorpe, Esq., Democrat building, Redwood City, San Mateo county, California, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the said County of San Mateo, State of California.

C. J. BETTIN,
Executor of the estate of Emilie Kaleschke, sometimes known as and called Mrs. E. Kaleschke, deceased.

Dated at Redwood City, Cal., December 6, 1907.
F. H. THORPE, attorney for executor.
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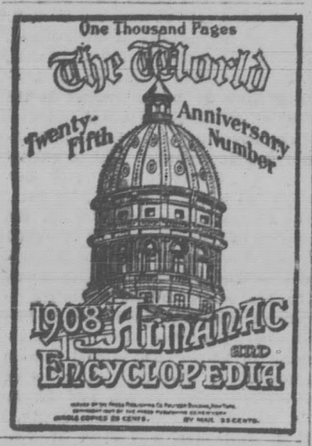

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Ordinance No. 217.

AN ORDINANCE

Granting to W. J. Martin and His Assigns, the Right, Privilege or Franchise of Laying, Maintaining, Using, Repairing, and Replacing from Time to Time, Poles and Wires Suspended Thereon, and Mains and other Conduits for the purpose of Transmitting and Distributing Electricity for Heat and Power and Illuminating Purposes, Upon, Across, Along and Beneath the Surface of, the County Roads, Streets and Highways in the First Township of San Mateo County, State of California.

The Board of Supervisors of the county of San Mateo do ordain as follows:

Section 1. The right, privilege or franchise of laying, maintaining, using, repairing and replacing from time to time, poles and wires suspended thereon; and mains and other conduits for the purpose of transmitting and distributing electricity for heat and power and illuminating purposes, upon, across, along and beneath the surface of, the county roads, streets and highways in the First Township of San Mateo County, California, is hereby granted to W. J. Martin and his assigns.

Section 2. The said grantee and his assigns shall have the right of laying, maintaining, using, repairing and replacing from time to time, all necessary connections from said poles, wires, mains and other conduits, to the premises of all persons who may desire to purchase heat, power or light from said grantee or his assigns.

Section 3. All conduits that are built beneath the surface shall be of such material or dimensions as the grantee, or his assigns shall determine, and shall be laid at least twenty (20) inches below the surface of said county roads, streets and highways, under the supervision of the Supervisor of the First Township of San Mateo County, California.

Section 4. The said grantee or his assigns, after laying, repairing or replacing said poles, mains or other conduits, shall at his own expense, place said county roads, streets and highways in as good order and condition as they were before being disturbed or excavated for the purpose aforesaid.

Section 5. All poles erected pursuant to this franchise shall be set in a safe, substantial and workmanlike manner and shall be placed at such points on the side of said county roads, streets or highways, as will least interfere with the travel thereon, and all wires suspended thereon shall be strung in such manner as to prevent their coming to the ground, and such wires shall be securely fastened to poles of sufficient height to carry said wires at a minimum height of twenty (20) feet above the surface of the ground, and said work shall be done under the supervision of the Supervisor of the First Township, San Mateo County, California.

Section 6. The said grantee and his assigns shall during the term for which this franchise is granted, pay to said County of San Mateo two (2) per cent of the gross annual receipts arising from the use, operation or possession of the right, privilege or franchise granted in section 1 of this ordinance; provided, however, that no percentage shall be paid for the first five (5) years succeeding the date of said franchise, but thereafter such percentage shall be paid annually on the first day of September in each year.

Section 7. The said grantee shall within five (5) days after the final passage of this ordinance, file a bond running to the County of San Mateo with at least two good and sufficient sureties to be approved by the Board of Supervisors in the penal sum of one thousand (1000) dollars conditioned that such grantee shall well and truly observe, fulfill and perform each and every term and condition of said right, privilege or franchise.

Section 8. The said grantee shall within ten (10) days after the final passage of this ordinance, file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, his written acceptance of the same upon the terms herein stated.

Section 9. The right, privilege or franchise hereby granted, shall continue for fifty (50) years from and after the date of final passage of this ordinance.

Section 10. This franchise is given and accepted subject to all ordinances of the county of San Mateo which are now in force, or which may be hereafter enacted.

Section 11. This grant is made under and pursuant to the act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved March 22nd, 1905, entitled "An act providing for the sale of street railroad and other franchises in counties and municipalities, and providing conditions for the granting of such franchises by legislative or other governing bodies, and repealing conflicting acts."

Section 12. This ordinance shall take effect fifteen (15) days from and after its final passage.

Passed and adopted this 16th day of December, 1907, by the following vote:

Ayes, and in favor of the passage of said ordinance, Supervisors J. Ekerenkotter, John MacBain, J. H. Coleman, J. Debenedetti, D. E. Blackburn.

Noes, and against the passage of said ordinance, Supervisors, none.

Absent, Supervisors, none.

J. H. COLEMAN,
Chairman of Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California.
(Seal) Attest: JOS. H. NASH,
Clerk of said Board.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

Wellington Gregg, Jr., plaintiff, vs. Wm. R. Berry, Edward M. Brewer, Edward M. Brewer as trustee, Eliza Brewer, Frank McCoppin Brewer, as executor of the last will and testament of W. P. A. Brewer, deceased, and all persons unknown who have or claim any interest in, or lien upon, the property described in the complaint herein, defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, and the complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of the said County of San Mateo.

IRA S. LILLICK,
Attorney for Plaintiff

SUMMONS.

The people of the State of California send greeting to Wm. R. Berry, Edward M. Brewer, Edward M. Brewer as trustee, Eliza Brewer, Frank McCoppin Brewer, as executor of the last will and testament of W. P. A. Brewer, deceased, and to all persons unknow who have or claim any interest in or lien upon the property herein described, defendants.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

The said action is brought, and the object thereof is to obtain a decree of partition of the real property hereinafter described according to the respective rights of the parties aforesaid and the parties interested therein, and for a sale of said property, or a part thereof, if it appear that a partition cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners thereof and to determine all adverse claims of the defendants, and each of them, to the said real property which is situate, lying and being in the County of San Mateo, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the northwesterly side of Santa Ines avenue, said point being distant the following courses and distances from an iron pipe monument set in the center of said Santa Ines avenue where the division line between the properties of the El Cerrito Land Company and the Bowie Estate Company intersects the same: south fifty (50) degrees west one hundred (100) feet, south forty-eight (48) degrees fifty (50) minutes west two hundred and fifty (250) feet, south forty-eight (48) degrees thirty (30) minutes west one hundred and thirty (130) feet, south fifty-one (51) degrees west one hundred and twenty (120) feet, north thirty-two (32) degrees west thirty-five and two-tenths (35.2) feet to said point of beginning; and running thence from said point of beginning north thirty-two (32) degrees west three hundred and seventy-five (375) feet to a stake in the division line between lands of the Bowie estate and those of Clark; thence on and along said division line north fifty-nine (59) degrees thirty (30) minutes east two hundred (200) feet; thence south thirty-two (32) degrees east three hundred and forty-one and four-tenths (341.4) feet to a point in the aforesaid northwesterly side of Santa Ines avenue; thence on and along said side of Santa Ines avenue south forty-eight (48) degrees thirty (30) minutes west eighty-seven and three-tenths (87.3) feet, south fifty-one (51) degrees west one hundred and fifteen (115) feet to the point of beginning, containing one and sixty-five one-hundredths (1.65) acres of land, and forming a portion of the Bowie estate as designated and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map Number One (1) of Bowie Estate," recorded in the office of the County Recorder of said County of San Mateo, on the sixteenth (16th) day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven (1897) in map book two (2) at page ninety-one (91) thereof.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, this 22nd day of Oct., A. D. 1907.

(Seal of Superior Court.)
JOS. H. NASH, Clerk.
By A. L. Lowe, Deputy Clerk.
IRA S. LILLICK, Attorney for Plaintiff, 324 Kohl building, San Francisco. 12-14-10t

NOTICE

Inviting Proposals for Furnishing Supplies for County Farm and Hospital for Year 1908.

Sealed bids Will be received at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo until

MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1908,

at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, for the following supplies for the County Farm and Hospital of San Mateo County for the year ending December 31, 1908.

All bids to be in writing, sealed and delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors on or before said date, and to be endorsed "Bids for Supplies for County Farm for the year 1908."

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

The following is a list of supplies required for the year:

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS:
50 pounds of Royal Baking Powder.
500 pounds of small white beans.
10 pounds of baking soda.
50 pounds of Bacon (Western Meat Co.)
600 pounds of Cracked Wheat No. 1.
500 pounds of prime washed San Salvador Coffee (green) No. 1.
25 pounds of cornstarch (Kingsfords).
100 gallons of Coal Oil (extra Star).
500 pounds Codfish (good quality in cases).
500 pounds of Corn Meal, No. 1 quality.
500 pounds of Dried Apples, No. 1 quality.
500 pounds Prunes (60-70s) No. 1 quality.
250 pounds Dried Peaches, No. 1 quality.
100 pounds Ham (Western Meat Co.)
60 gross of matches.
20 pounds of ground mustard in bulk.
100 pounds of Macaroni, No. 1.
100 pounds of Vermicelli, No. 1.
30 pounds of whole Pepper, white.
500 pounds of Oatmeal, No. 1 quality.
100 pounds of Pearl Barley, No. 1 quality.
600 pounds of Rice (S. I.) No. 1 quality.
2000 pounds of Granulated Sugar.
100 pounds of Extra Soda Crackers.
2000 pounds of Dairy Salt, Leslie Salt Co. manufacture.
1000 pounds Pickling Salt, Leslie Salt Co. manufacture.
100 pounds of Schilling's Best Black Tea.
100 pounds of Japan Tea (Schilling's Best).
100 pounds of Chewing Tobacco (Battle Axe or Toddy).
250 pounds of Smoking Tobacco (Big D, Ten or Big B).
1000 pounds of Washing Soda.
40 barrels of Flour (Extra Family Roller, Drifted Snow).
100 pounds of Chickory, German.
12 cases of soap, 100 to a case (Babbitt's).
FEED.
20,000 pounds of Middlings.
20,000 pounds of Bran.
COAL.
25 tons of Wellington Coal (2000 pounds to ton).
CLOTHING.
6 dozen white cotton Flannel Unbleached Undershirts; 38 to 44 bust; 34 inches long; 7½ ounces to the yard.
6 dozen White Cotton Flannel Unbleached Drawers; waist 34 to 44; 7 ounces to the yard.
10 dozen pairs Cotton Socks, good quality.
100 yards Pequot Sheeting, 6 quarters wide.
4 dozen black and white Negligee Shirts.
1 dozen one-half wool Gray Underdrawers.
1 dozen one-half wool Gray Undershirts.
4 dozen Red Handkerchiefs, known as the Martha Washington brand, size 24 inches.
SHOES.
4 dozen Men's Kip Shoes, United Workmen full stock, standard screw, bellows tongue, sizes 6 to 12.
DRUGS.
16 pounds of absorbent cotton.
10 pounds of perfect Absorbent Lint.
5 yards of Antiseptic Gauze (Iodoform 5 per cent).
1 dozen bottles of Platt's Chlorides.
12 quart bottle of Marchand's Peroxide of Hydrogen.
100 Morphine Pills, ¼ grain.
500 Quinine Pills, 2 grains.
2 pints of Chloroform Squibbs.
1 gallon Castor Oil.
1 gallon of Alcohol.
1 gallon of Syrup Trifolium Compound.
1 gallon Syrup of Wild Cherry.
1 gallon of Tincture of Arnica.
½ gallon of Sweet Spirits of Nitre.
12 pint bottles of Wampole's Cod Liver Oil.
2 pints of Fluid Extract Squills.
5 ounces of Sulphate of Quinine.
1 gallon F. E. Cascara Sagrada.
10 pounds Carbolic Acid Crystals.
2 pounds Vaseline.
1 gallon Glycerine.
2 pints F. E. Senna.
1 gallon Spirits of Turpentine.
1 gallon Cod Liver Oil.
10 pounds Epsom Salts.
10 pounds Ground Sulphur.
10 pounds Flaxseed.
MEATS.
BEEF—Hind quarter, fore quarter, chuck or buttock; plate and brisket.
MUTTON—By the carcass; fore quarter; mutton stew meat.
All meats to be of No. 1 quality and bids to specify price per pound.

All good to be furnished in such quantities more or less than the above as may be desired.

All goods to be delivered at the farm as desired, and all bills duplicated.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.
JOS. H. NASH, Clerk.
Dated December 16, 1907.

SUMMONS.

In the Superior Court of the County of San Mateo, State of California.

George M. Collopy, Plaintiff, vs. Thomas Bryan, Mary S. Hill, Administratrix of the Estate of J. J. Hill, deceased, H. G. Plymire as Administrator of the Estate of James Croke, deceased, and "also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto," Defendants. No. 3,091.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of San Mateo, State of California, and the complaint filed in said County of San Mateo, in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.

Joseph J. Bullock, Attorney for Plaintiff, Redwood City, Calif.

The People of the State of California send greeting to:

Thomas Bryan, Mary S. Hill as Administratrix of the Estate of J. J. Hill, deceased, H. G. Plymire as Administrator of the Estate of James Croke, deceased, and "also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto", Defendants.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, in the Superior Court of the County of San Mateo, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within said county; if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The object of this action is to require the above-named defendants and "also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto," and each of them, to set forth the nature of their claim or claims to the real property hereinafter described, if any they have and that such claim or claims be adjudged to be of no effect and void, and that plaintiff's title to the whole of said lands be quieted as against each of said defendants, and as against such unknown claimant or claimants, and each of them, and to obtain such other and further relief as the court may consider meet and proper.

The real property which is the subject of this action, and which is described in said complaint, is situated in the county of San Mateo, State of California, and is particularly described as follows, to-wit;

Lots Nos. eighty-five (85) and eighty-six (86) in Block No. ten (10) in the Garden Valley Land Association;

Lots. Nos. five (5) and six (6) in Block No. one (1) in the Garden Valley Land Association;

Lot No. sixty-nine (69) in Block No. eight (8) in the Garden Valley Land Association, in the County of San Mateo, as appears by the official and by other maps of said County now on file in the Recorder's office of said County of San Mateo.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer as above required, the plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Witness my hand and the Seal of said Superior Court of the County of San Mateo, State of California, this 15th day of November, A. D. 1907.

(SEAL) JOS. H. NASH, Clerk.
By A. L. Lowe, Deputy Clerk.

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Notice of Time Appointed for Probate of Will

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE County of San Mateo, State of California (Probate)

In the matter of the estate of Frederick N. Steele deceased.

Notice of time appointed for probate of will.

Notice is hereby given that Thursday, the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m. of that day, and the Court Room—Probate—of said Court, at the Odd Fellows' Building, Redwood City, in the County of San Mateo, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Frederick N. Steele, deceased and for hearing the application of Chloe R. Steele for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary thereon.

JOS. H. NASH, Clerk.
W. M. Gardner Attorney for Petitioner.
Dated December 13, A. D. 1907.
(Endorsed): Filed December 13, 1907.
JOS. H. NASH, Clerk.

For the local news read the Times-Gazette. The year, $2.50.

AN ASSIZE OF BREAD.

Mobile's Regulation of Bakeries Early in the Last Century.

In the latter half of the seventeenth and the early part of the eighteenth centuries the regulation of the price of bread by public authority was a familiar principle in the English colonies of America. In New Haven, for instance, the weight of the penny loaf was regulated by law about 1660, and in 1696 the Massachusetts general court also provided a regular assize, fixing the weight of the loaf according to the price of flour. At various times during the first quarter of the eighteenth century the selectmen of Boston likewise performed this duty.

It is interesting, however, to note a survival or perhaps a revival of this principle as late as the nineteenth century in the town of Mobile, a place whose economic history is marked by many peculiar features. After fifty-two years of French, seventeen years of English and thirty-three years of Spanish rule Mobile came under the control of the United States government in April, 1813, and was included in the Mississippi territory. On Jan. 20, 1814, by an act of the territorial legislature the town received a charter of incorporation, and at two meetings of the inhabitants, on March 11 and 14, the municipal government was organized and the charter publicly read in English and in French. The population at this time was composed of French, English and Irish elements. On April 4 following, three weeks after the organization of the municipal government, a "tariff for bakers," or assize of bread, was drawn up by the commissioners (the governing body of the town) and proclaimed in English and in French. This fixed the weight of the loaf for the ensuing month in accordance with the price of flour. Instead of changing the price of bread it was more convenient to make the loaves lighter or heavier as the price of flour rose or fell. On May 2, 1814, the weight of the bit loaf (the bit being a coin worth 12½ cents) was fixed at twenty-eight ounces, and the weight of the half bit loaf was fixed at fourteen ounces.

On July 8, 1815, Mr. Martin, the baker, appeared before the board and paid the sum of $10, a fine inflicted on him for having his bread too light, one-half of which sum was paid to the police officer. On Jan. 24, 1817, a regular scale of weights for the bit loaf was adopted.

Beginning May 3, 1817, the assize of bread was proclaimed weekly instead of monthly, as before, and this system was continued for a little more than two years. The records do not show that the assize was proclaimed after 1819, but the town continued to exercise a control over the business of baking. Every baker was required to procure a license and to register his trademark, which was stamped on his loaves. A public bakehouse was also established and seems to have been managed in the same way that municipalities control public markets, the bakers renting the stalls from the town and being subject to inspection. As late as 1826 in the annual statement of the city clerk the following entry occurs in the statement of receipts during the year: "Sales of condemned bread, $1.87."—Quarterly Journal of Economics.

THE STRENUOUS LIFE.

One Day's Work of a Sixteenth Century Law Student.

If law students of the present day are laboring under the delusion that when the world was younger there was less law to study and more relaxation for young men of their class, let them read the following extract that an English contemporary has taken from the "Memoirs of Henri de Mesmes," descriptive of a day's work of a law student at Toulouse in the sixteenth century:

"We used to rise from bed at 4 o'clock, and, having prayed to God, we went at 5 o'clock to our studies, our big books under our arms, our inkhorns and candles in our hands. We heard all the lectures without intermission till 10 o'clock rang. Then we dined after having hastily compared during a half hour our notes of the lectures.

"After dinner we read as a recreation Sophocles or Aristophanes or Euripides and sometimes Demosthenes, Cicero, Virgil or Horace. At 1 o'clock to our studies, at 5 back to our dwelling places, there to go over and verify passages cited in the lectures until 6; then supper, and after supper we read Greek or Latin.

"On holy days we went to high mass and vespers; the rest of the days, a little music and walks."

Roasting Coffee.

In Norway, where superb coffee is made, a bit of butter is added to the beans while they are roasting in the covered shovel used there for that purpose. In France as well a piece of butter the size of a walnut is put with three pounds of the coffee beans, and also a dessertspoonful of powdered sugar. This brings out both flavor and scent and, moreover, gives the slight caramel taste which will be remembered as a pleasing part of French coffee.

The Bloody Meadow.

Tewkesbury, where a famous battle was fought during the war of the roses, is in Gloucestershire at the confluence of the Avon and the Severn and 180 miles from London. The battle was fought on the bloody meadow just outside the modern town, and, according to local tradition, one night in every year on the anniversary of the conflict the adherents of the white and red roses meet and fight the battle over again.—London Academy.

Doesn't Know It All.

"What do you study at school, my little man?"

"I am studying the history of France, sir."

"Indeed. What can you tell me about Charlemagne?"

"Oh, sir, we have only got as far as Adam and Eve."—Paris Journal.

Can't Be Coined.

Gally—Why don't you cheer up? Every cloud has a silver lining. Dumps—That may all be, but did you ever see anybody that could coin it?

FRANKLIN'S KITE.

The Philosopher's Famous Experiment as Described by Himself.

The famous kite experiment is described by Franklin in a letter dated Oct. 19, 1752: "Make a small cross of light sticks of cedar, the arms so long as to reach to the four corners of a large, thin silk handkerchief when extended. Tie the corners of the handkerchief to the extremities of the cross, so you have the body of a kite, which, being properly accommodated with a tail, loop and string, will rise in the air like those made of paper, but being made of silk is better fitted to bear the wet and wind of a thunder gust without tearing. To the top of the upright stick of the cross is to be fixed a very sharp pointed wire rising a foot or more above the wood. To the end of the twine next the hand is to be tied a silk ribbon, and where the silk and twine join a key may be fastened. This kite is to be raised when a thunder gust appears to be coming on, and the person who holds the string must stand within a door or window or under some cover, so that the silk ribbon may not be wet, and care must be taken that the twine does not touch the frame of the door or window. As soon as the thunderclouds come over the kite the pointed wire will draw the electric fire from them, and the kite, with all the twine, will be electrified and stand out every way and be attracted by an approaching finger. And when the rain has wet the kite and twine you will find the electric fire stream out plentifully from the key on the approach of your knuckle."

OLD TIME THEATERS.

The Way House and Stage Were Lighted In Garrick's Time.

It must have often struck people when reading of the performances in the eighteenth century how it was that the lightning was contrived. The power of oil lamps was limited enough. Theaters like Drury Lane and Covent Garden were of enormous size. There were no footlights, at least until about the middle of the eighteenth century, and they were the humble "floats," dim enough. Yet there was ample light to observe expression and play of features, so necessary in interpreting the fine old comedies of character. Nowadays the stage is one blaze. It is literally bathed and suffused in light. There are no shadows, and yet it might be said the amount of necessary light is no more than there used to be and is not nearly as satisfactory. How was it then?

In the theaters of Garrick and earlier days the stage was really lit by four great chandeliers, which hung directly over the heads of the actors from the arch of the proscenium and just outside the curtain. When the play was over, these were lowered slowly, a signal for the audience to depart. These chandeliers furnished a goodly amount of light on a circular zone immediately below them. The actors' faces and figures were lit in the natural way, as the sun would light them, but the rest of the stage was comparatively dark or gloomy.—Blackwood's.

THE ZOO CATERER.

Special Knowledge Required to Run a Wild Animals' Hotel.

"To run a wild animals' hotel—for what is a zoo but that?—requires a lot of special knowledge," said an animal keeper. "How would you, for instance, know how to provide for a rhinoceros or a tapir? If you don't cater right for your animal guests, if you don't give them what they want, they pack up and quit the hotel, you know—that is to say, they die. It amounts to the same thing.

"Yes, it takes special knowledge to feed a zoo. You wouldn't know, would you, that an elephant requires 150 pounds daily—no more, no less—of rice, hay, straw, roots, bread and biscuit?

"A hippo wants more. Give him roots, hay and grass, 200 pounds of them, and he won't register a single kick.

"A giraffe with its dainty appetite, asks only for fifty pounds a day of chaff, salad, grain and clover.

"But don't offer vegetables to lions and tigers. Eight pounds apiece of raw horseflesh, with plenty of bone and gristle, is their ration, year in and year out.

"We have our farms, too, to supply our table, just as lots of other hotels do. Only our farms are queer ones. One is a mouse farm. In it, with the help of traps, we raise a tremendous annual crop. Another is a worm farm, where we produce yellow meal worms by the thousand for our birds."—Exchange.

Marie Antoinette's Books.

The unhappy Queen Marie Antoinette possessed an important library of 4,712 volumes, consisting of plays and romances, little books a la mode, the works of Pascal, Bossuet, Fenelon, Bourdaloue, Massillon, Boileau, Cousseau, Corneille, Moliere, Voltaire and many others. She loved music passionately and had a large collection of operas in eighty-nine numbers. The bindings were by Blaizot and were uniform in red morocco, with the arms of France and Austria stamped upon them. The execution of the work was poor and the decadence in the art of binding evident. The glories of the art of Padeloup and the Deromes had passed away, and the revolution effectually killed whatever knowledge remained of the ancient skill of the bookbinders. Half a century later saw its revival in France, and the art has since flourished both there and on English soil.—London Spectator.

How Beetles Defend Themselves.

Beetles have other defenses than their cuirass, such as nauseous or caustic liquids, which they expel on provocation, and, strange to say, certain beetles actually exude their blood, charged with noxious products. The practice is confined to the chrysomelidae, some of the timarchae and adamonia, the coccinelidae and the meloidae. The blood of the coccinelidae has a strong, disagreeable odor like that of the whole insect. That of the timarchae is odorless, but has an astringent flavor, and in the case of the Timarchae primelliodes is venomous. The blood of the meloidae contains much cantharidine.

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